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(Preliminary Remarks and Corrections)

Dear Sir,

On the 3rd of January, 2006 an Entry into U.S. National Phase of the PCT/DE2004/001456 was mailed to the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

On the cover page where we specified all the documents that were attached, it was mentioned in point 3:

An English Language Translation of the International Application as filed.

However, unintentionally a mistake was made and the 2 pages containing the Claims were omitted.

Being aware of that, we are sending you herewith the 2 pages with the claims.

Respectfully submitted,
Heil, Günther

CLAIMS

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1. Aid for learning the calculation consisting of
diferently coloured geometric bodies (10, 12, 14),
characterized in that each body (10, 12, 14) is
representing a number and is having a definite geometric
shape and a definite colour, wherein each decimal step
position (ones, tens, hundreds, thousands) a definite
geometric shape is assigned and each number (0 to 9) a
colour is assigned.

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2. Aid according to claim 1, characterized in that the
geometric shapes of the bodies (10, 12, 14) are chosen
such that the bodies (10, 12, 14) can be stacked above
each other.

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3. Aid according to claim 2, characterized in that the step
position "Ones" is assigned the geometric shape
"cube", the step position "Tens" the shape "cylinder"
is assigned, the step position "Hundreds" the geometric
shape "right parallelepiped" is assigned and, the step
position "Thousands" the geometric shape "right
parallelepiped with notches" is assigned.

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4. Aid according to any of the claims 1 to 3,
characterized in that each body (10, 12, 14)
additionally to the colouring is inscribed with the
corresponding number.

5. Aid according to any of the claims 1 to 4,
characterized in that additionally tables (20, 22, 24,

26) are provided on which the numbers are depicted represented by the corresponding bodies (10, 12, 14) or corresponding two-dimensional areas (30, 32, 34).

- 5 6. Aid according to claim 5, characterized in that on the
 tables (20, 22) the numbers 1 to 100 are depicted in
 ten lines and ten columns.
- 10 7. Aid according to claim 5, characterized in that on the
 tables (24, 26) the numbers 1 to 99 are depicted
 arranged in ten lines and ten columns.
- 15 8. Aid according to any of the claims 1 to 7,
 characterized in that additionally uncoloured bodies
 having the corresponding geometric shapes are provided.